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CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that <u>Bijou Telephone Cooperative</u>, will use its Interstate Common I inc Support and Long Term Support only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and service for which the support is intended

I am authorized to make this certification on behalf of Bijou Telephone Cooperative This certification is provided for the entire study area under the common control of this telephone company

BIJOU TELEHONE COOPERATIVE ASSOCIATION, INC

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General Manager

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